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File No. 54 sls.

Appointment of a Matron for Shimoga Jail.

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From The Offg. Jud. Commissioner in Mysore

To

Secretary to Chief Commissioner,
Section General Department.

File No

Dated 16th February 1876.

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ENCLOSURES NO.

General No. 2627 } 1875—76.
No. 293

Requests that sanction may be obtained to the submission of a proposition Statement for the appointment of a Matron on a Salary of Rupees 20 per mensem for Shemoga Jail.

Sanctioned
18/2 [illegible]

I shall be glad to learn if a competent Matron is likely to be procured at 20 Rs per mensem

[illegible]

Ask the J-C whether he considers 20 enough. Are the Supt Jails to be consulted

[illegible]

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No. 2629
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Mysore Judicial Commr.'s Office
Bangalore 16th February 1876.

From

H. J. Prinsep Esquire
Offg. Judicial Commissioner
in Mysore

To

The Secretary
to the Chief Commissioner
of Mysore

Sir,

In forwarding Copy of a letter from the Superintendent of the Shimoga Jail to the address of the Commissioner of the Nagar Division, I have the honor to request that, under the circumstances therein stated, the sanction of the Chief Commissioner may be obtained to the sub-mission of a proposition Statement for the appointment of a matron, on a Salary of Rupees 20 per mensem, for that Jail, as in the Central Jail, where the average number of female prisoners for the year 1875 was 21½ or about the same as at Shimoga.

* No. 76 dy 3rd February 1876.

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your most Obedt. Servant

H. J. Prinsep

Offg. Judl. Commissioner

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No 76.

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Shimoga Jail Office, 3rd February 1876.

To

The Commissioner

Nagar Division

Sir,

I have the honor to propose for your consideration, with a view to your laying the matter before the Judicial Commissioner, should it commend itself to you, viz. the advisability of appointing a European or East Indian matron for the charge of the female convicts in this Jail.

2. At present there is only a Convict warder in charge of them, and these women are invariably so ignorant and stupid, that practically they are but little use. The consequence is, that the female prisoners have but little control exercised over them, as regards their general conduct and behaviour, a certain amount of work can be exacted from them by beating them and that is about all that can be done.

3. Even in the matter of guarding there is sometimes a little difficulty, as it is not every peon who is eligible, or considered

considered sufficiently trustworthy to be placed on such a post, where if he be viciously inclined, notwithstanding the most careful supervision, opportunities will present themselves to permit of his bringing obloquy on all concerned.

4. In the matter of education also, it has not been found practicable to attempt any thing, as the women being all illiterate no teacher is obtainable from amongst them.

5. I do not pretend to say, that the amount which could be taught any of them would per se do much good, but it would be part of a disciplinary system, and would prevent them running riot as they now do more or less between cessation of work and lockup time.

I myself rather wonder why some thing of this kind has not been carried out before now, or not having been so, why some unpleasantness has not been the result— I know the management &c of the female portion of the prison, has been always a source of anxiety more or less with me.

6. I imagine a respectable woman, could be obtained, competent to perform the duties, for a salary of Rupees 20. or Rupees 30. per month

month, together with the house, which should be somewhere in close proximity like that of the matron at the Central Jail. I think arrangement could be made to provide the latter from one of the existing buildings, so as to entail little or no expense to Government.

The average number of females Confined in the Jail last year, was 23.59 daily, and 35.12 for 1874.

I have &c.

/Signed/ T. J. McGaun
Superintt of Jail

True Copy
/Signed/ J. A. Campbell
Commissioner Niagara Dist

Copy

Offg Judge Commissioner

I.P.

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From

The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner of Mysore.

Section

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To The Offg. Jud. Comm. in Mysore.

Dated 23 January.

Despatched

Received 25th

ENCLOSURES NO.

General No. 9080 & 1875-76.
Jl No. 1919

Your letter No. 2629/293 d/ 16th Instant, requesting sanction to the submission of a Proposition Statement for the appointment of a Matron on a Salary of 20 Rs. per mensem for the Shimoga Jail.

With reference to the above, authorizes the submission of a Proposition Statement for the appointment in question, but observes that it is doubtful whether the services of a competent and suitable person as Matron to go to Shimoga could be procured at 20 Rupees per mensem, unless the Jud. Comm. considers that rate of Salary is sufficient.

By order

Offg Secretary.

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From The Jud. Commissioner
of Ajmere

To

Secretary to Chief Commissioner,
General Department.

Dated Camp Nicolson 29th April 76

Despatched 1st May 76

Received 1 May 76

ENCLOSURES NO 1

General No. 176 1876

No. 17

Addressed in his No. 9050-1919 dated 24th February last, forwarding a petition of Salamat for the appointment of a trustee for the transfer fail on Rs 1/- per mensem

C.C.
Political Indian
Secretariat
Gen Dept.
for Tri, 1/-

M.R.
10/5/76

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Mysore Jud. Commr.s Office
Camp Bangalore 29th April 1876

From

J. D. Gordon Esqr. C.S.I.
Judicial Commissioner of
Mysore

To

The Secretary to the
Chief Commissioner of Mysore

Sir

In directed in your No 9080/1919 dated the 23d February last, I have the honor to forward herewith a proposition Statement for the appointment of a Matron for the Shimoga Jail on Rupees 30 per mensem.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obed. Servant

J. D. Gordon
Jud. Commissioner

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Tabular Statement of Proposition submitted by

Years.	Revenue		Charges
	Ordinary	Extraordinary	Ordinary
	-	-	-

Nature of Charge

Present scale.				Proposed scale			
No	Rs	a.	p.	No	Rs	a.	p.
Jail Office				Jail Office			
1 Jailor	100	0	0	1 Jailor	100	0	
1 1st Writer	35	0		1 1st Writer	35	0	
1 2nd Do	15	0		1 2nd Do	15	0	
1 Smith (Instructor)	12	0		1 Smith (Instructor)	12	0	
Permanent Guard.	160	0	0	1 Matron	30	0	
1 Jemadar @ 20	22			Permanent Guard.	192	0	
2 Duffadars @ 10 & 8 Rs	18	0		1 Jemadar @ 20	20	0	
25 Peons	175	0		2 Duffadars @ 10 & 8 Rs	18	0	
Contingent Guard.	213	0		25 Peons @ 7 Rs	175	0	
4 Duffadars @ 8	32	0	0	Contingent Guard.	213	0	
23 Peons @ 6	138			4 Duffadars @ 8	32	0	
1 Duffadar to every 10 Peons, and 1 Peon to every 5 Prisoners on the as the strength of prisoners fluctuates.	170	0	0	23 Peons @ 6	138	0	
				per remarks under the head "Present scale"	170		

Shemoga Jail Supt's office,
Shemoga, 20 March 1876

Yearly Return of the Superintendent of the Shimoga Jail.

Total			Net		
Boarding	Revenue	Charges	Surplus	Deficit	
-	-	-	-	-	

Proposition				Grounds of proposition	Local Government's Order thereon	Order of the Lieut. Governor of Mysore		
Permanent		Temporary				Yearly Decrease	Increase Over last Year	
Increase	Decrease	Increase	Decrease			Remarks	Remarks	Orders
-	-	-	-					
30				To give effect to the recommendations contained in this office letter No 107 dated 2nd January 1876 to the Govt of Bombay ~~Northern Division~~, regarding the entertainment of a Matron for the female prisoners.	Passed in Council on the 22nd March 1876			

Superintendent
Shimoga Jail.

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No 1362 f

Date 28-6-76

From Foreign

To filed 25-10-81

Proceedings of the C.C. of Mysore

No: 3579
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(Letter No. 1362 G dated 28th June 1876, from the Government of India Foreign Department.)

dated 8th July 1876

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Ordered that Copy of the foregoing letter be communicated to the Judicial Commr with reference to his letter No. 136/17 dated 29th April 1876.

To,
The Jud. Commr
& Dy. Accountt. General.

Offg: Secy:

7/7/76.

1870 No 46

To
The Jud. Commr
in Mysore

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Sd 8th Aug
Sesp 10 ——
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Communicating the sanction
of the Govt of India for the
entertainment of a Mahomedan
for the Shemoga Dist Jail.

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